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Claim(s) discussed: 22 (cancelled), 25, 29, and 30.					
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Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The amendments to claims 25, 29, and 30, " when the first case the outlets of the first and second ink bags are pressed directly against each other by the first case and the second case" do not raise new issue because they were presented by Applicants in the Amendment filed on May 21, 2003 and have been indicated as allowable by the Examiner in the Office Action filed on July 15, 2003.  (A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)  THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.					

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